

DETECTIVE'S PISTOL ENDS ROMANCE OF BURGLAR-INVENTOR

Master of the 'Jimmy,' Brace and Bit Wooses Girl on Earnings From His Burglaries.



JOHN S. EDWARDS

Burglar, inventor and pleasing gentleman, when not forcing faces, faces a long term in the Eastern Penitentiary.

In the rough and ready language used by the police, police court attorneys, mission workers and those who associate with the men and women who are rather undesirable citizens, John S. Edwards, who was held without bail by Magistrate Tracy at the Eleventh and Winter streets police station today, has had another fall.

The underworld considers a fall as something that business men would style a failure.

Edwards today admitted that Edwards was only an assumed name, but that he had used it for the better part of his life.

His real name, he stated, was J. P. Szatek and he said that for the most of the time since his release from the Eastern Penitentiary he lived at 145 North Twelfth street.

At the close of the hearing Lieutenant Bailey read a letter from George D. Porter, Director of Public Safety, commanding Wm. and Kate, policemen, for causing the arrest of Edwards.

Edwards was caught attempting to break into a saloon.

Edwards is an inventor. He has made more money with the "Jimmy" and the brace and bit, than with his burglarious and safe-robbing jobs, never boasted of them but preferred to talk about his inventions.

Edwards was released several months ago from the Eastern Penitentiary, after serving a sentence for burglary.

He was never a model prisoner, but notwithstanding his record of friendship of Robert J. McKenty, warden of the prison.

In 1905, while serving a term in the Eastern Penitentiary for robbery, Edwards, with Charles Wagner, scaled the walls. In the jump from a 2-foot gallery, Edwards received a broken leg.

Guards who had seen the escape came upon him while they were searching the grounds outside the prison wall by forcing the foliage back with the barrels of shotguns.

Edwards smiled back a guard pushed a gun against his chest and said: "I'm it, but you haven't got my partner."

He was captured in Chester when, furnished, he went to the home of a relative to get food.

Since his last release from prison Edwards is said to have had a love affair and also to have cherished a hatred to saloonkeepers.

As far as the police know he has robbed none but saloonkeepers. He says he was educated in saloons and he is turning his education to use against the keepers of bar rooms.

A young woman who lived in the 240 block on North Third street is also said to have interested Edwards. He confidentially told friends that he expected to marry the young woman. She has left the home of her mother since Edwards' arrest, and the mother says that she has but little between Edwards and her daughter.

Edwards left prison last winter and went to the young woman's home to board. He spent nearly every night out, but always explained his absence in some plausible manner. The mother said that every night he was away from his room he was using his "Jimmy" and sold stolen things, and the mother says that she had little between Edwards and her daughter.

28 NEW CASES OF TYPHOID FEVER IN WEEK; TWO DEATHS

Number Smallest Reported to Health Department in Several Weeks—Total of Deaths 416.

The number of typhoid fever cases reported this week is the smallest for several weeks. Twenty-eight new cases were reported to the health department this week, seven less than last week's number. Two deaths were due to typhoid since Sunday.

There were 416 deaths in the entire city this week, of which 75 were due to communicable diseases. Last week there were 412 deaths and 49 were reported during the corresponding week last year.

Forty-three new cases of diphtheria developed this week, an increase of six over the number reported last week. Other cases of contagious disease in the city reported during the last seven days are scarlet fever, 12; chicken-pox, 11; measles, 12.

Following is the record of deaths from all causes this week:

Table with 2 columns: Disease Name and Number of Deaths. Includes Typhoid fever (28), Diphtheria (43), Measles (12), Chicken-pox (11), and various other diseases.

ORANG-OUTANGS PASS CENSORSHIP AT ZOO

Villa and Sylvia Declared Free of Tubercular Allment.

Villa, of Borneo, and his mate Sylvia, the orang-outangs purchased by the Zoological Garden a little less than two months ago, have now passed the health censor at the Zoo and are regular members of society there.

Although members of the higher ape families are difficult to raise in this climate, authorities at the Zoo now believe that this pair will live at least five years.

The animals were purchased from Louis Rhee, a New York animal dealer, who got them from an engineer and boatman of a trading company.

They came to the Zoo June 22, and were immediately isolated for observation. Such animals are especially susceptible to tubercular infection, but Dr. Herbert Fox, the Zoo pathologist, is now assured that Villa and Sylvia are sound of lung.

The orang-outangs will be placed on exhibition with the chimpanzees about October 1. Villa, the male, is equipped with a coat of coarse red, brown and black hair, while Sylvia's coat is of the same coloring, but finer.

Superintendent Carson, of the Zoo, is arranging for the pair to be safe-guarded to prevent a repetition of what happened at the Bronx Zoo. In New York where the entire collection was held in tubercular cases, in addition to being perfectly matched as to size, the orangs are well mated and so far their domestic affairs have not been marred by a single quarrel.

The exact sum paid for the pair has not been divulged, but is said to be high. Each animal is two years old. The formation of their hands and feet-nails compares well with the human hand.

BROKEN NECK CAUSES DEATH

Woman's Fall Downstairs Results Fatally.

A broken neck caused by falling down stairs resulted in the death today of Mrs. Anna Marlow, 69 years old, at her home, 1314 Christian street. The woman was on her way to bed when she fell over her balcony and fell backward from the second floor.

The accident happened a week ago, and for a time Dr. Charles Hawkins, of 194 Federal street, who attended Mrs. Marlow, thought that she would recover. Other complications, however, weakened her condition.

SAVES HORSES FROM DEATH

Fireman Becker Then Turns in Alarm for Fire.

Heroic action by Harry Becker, a fireman of the 5th and Pine streets station, saved three horses from burning today in a fire which destroyed a portion of the store at Jacoby Street, Woodland street and 26th street. The loss was more than \$100.

Becker was on his way to the fire house after responding at home when he saw smoke coming from Bonnell's stable. He rushed into the smoke-filled building and led the three horses to safety. Then he turned in an alarm.

When the engine company from his own station arrived Becker assisted in extinguishing the fire.



RABBI B. L. LEVINTHAL

JEWISH NEW YEAR BEGINS TOMORROW AT THE SET OF SUN

Day of Rejoicing as Well as of Fervent Prayer for Welfare of Family and Friends.

Devout Jews throughout the world are preparing today for the Jewish New Year, on the Feast of Rosh Hashanah, which begins tomorrow at sundown and ends on sundown Monday.

This year, in addition to offering prayers for the safety of loved ones here, a fervent prayer will be offered for the safety of those who are in war-ridden Europe.

There will be happiness and sorrow in the messages borne to every Jewish household today on the New Year cards, and the postman, especially in the ghetto, will be anxiously awaited.

It is possible, too, that the conflict across the sea will figure largely in the messages. On accounts of the war there are many here waiting with much foreboding for greetings which may never come.

It will not be necessary for the letter carrier to ring the bell or knock at the door of the homes in the ghetto. The anxious ones there have been waiting long for the eye of the New Year, and these loved ones abroad who do not write at any other time never forget to send greetings today.

The striking star makes its appearance in the heavens tomorrow, thus marking the beginning of the worship, those who did not receive the customary greeting, this custom is observed in every orthodox home throughout the world. At the synagogue all will kneel in prayer, and giving thanks for gifts of the last year and asking divine blessing for the ensuing year.

The observance of the Jewish New Year as a holy season is commanded in two places in the Torah, the eastern part of the Pentateuch. In neither passage is there any specific command as to how the day is to be observed beyond the injunctions to blow the trumpet to hold a holy convocation and to engage in no servile occupation. The day is the first of the seventh month or the day of the new moon of that month.

The new moon was observed in July season by the Jews of old; the seventh month was a particularly holy month, as the seventh day was the holy day of the week. The new moon of that month was therefore invested with a significance far holier than that of the other new moon days of the year. The day was to be a day of remembrance and prayer to the Lord. This ceremony of blowing the "shofar" became the central figure of the elaborate religious service conducted on the day.

It is the prevailing idea that on this day God weighs men's actions in the scales of justice. New Year's Day in the teaching of the centuries has thus come to embody the great religious ideas of divine justice and human responsibility.

STOWE SCHOOL GARDEN BEST

Sun Dial Given as First Prize by Judges' Committee.

Following the inspection of ten public school gardens in this city yesterday afternoon the committee of judges awarded the first prize, a sun dial, to the Stowe School garden, located at 70th street and Woodland avenue.

Honorable mention was given the South-west School, at Ninth and Millth streets, while awards consisting of trees, shrubs, bulbs and the like will be announced this afternoon in the competitions between the schools of the various districts.

ACCUSED OF STEALING PURSE

Facing a charge of highway robbery, Alfred Bray, of Camden, N. J., was held without bail for the Criminal Court by Magistrate Boyle, of the 26th street and Lancaster avenue police station. It is alleged that Bray is the man who, on September 8, snatched a pocketbook from Mrs. J. J. Borsay, of North 15th, as she was passing the corner of 23rd street and Wooding avenue.



POSTMAN HAS JUST DELIVERED GREETING CARDS TO THESE GIRLS



NEW YEAR CARD - BLESSING THE FAMILY ON EVE OF ROSH HASHANAH IMPRESSIVE SCENES MARK DAWNING OF THE JEWISH NEW YEAR



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ASYLUM AND HOME SHARE EQUALLY IN ESTATE OF \$63,000

Funds Left to Local Institutions by the Will of Kate Worley - Other Wills Probated.

An estate of \$63,000 will ultimately be equally divided between the Blind Asylum, of Philadelphia, and the Home and Asylum for the Aged and Infirm of the Episcopal Hospital.

The principal of the estate will be held in trust for the charitable institutions and the income will be divided as follows:

At present all property of the decedent is held by the Fidelity Trust Company, in trust, and annuities are to be paid various relatives and friends. At the death of the last annuitant the trust is to be continued until the income reverting to the charitable institutions.

Charles R. Koch, of the firm of P. R. Mengle & Co., who died recently at 1112 North 22d street, leaves his estate of \$50,000 to his wife, Caroline Koch, children and grandchildren. Of the Koch estate, \$50,000 is personal property.

Other wills probated today are: Anna M. Newell, who died in the Women's Homeopathic Hospital, and whose effects, valued at \$70,000, are distributed in private bequests; Charles Wagner, 933 South Second street, \$344; Elizabeth J. Lilly, 229 Lombard street, \$600; Saratoga, Clavel, Ocean City, N. J., \$14,913; Peter H. Doyle, 408 Aspen street \$420.

Letters of administration were granted in the estate of Louis Zacharias, 609 Vine street, \$245.

The personal estate of Cecelia A. McGilvie has been appraised at \$600.

READING R. R. HEADS VIEW FIRST AID DRILL TODAY

Leave in Special Train to See Company Corps Work.

More than 50 officials of the three Reading companies left the Reading Terminal on a special train at 8 o'clock this morning to attend the tenth annual competitive first aid drill of the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Company, being held at Lake Side Park, East Mahanoy Junction, Pa., today.

Each of the 35 colonies of the coal and iron company will be represented by a first-aid corps. Fellow workmen will act as subjects. The drill is under the leadership of Dr. G. B. Halberstadt, the company physician.

Included in the party who left on the special train were Edward T. Steubert, president of the Reading Company and head of Drexel & Co.; Theodore Voorhees, president of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad; H. R. Dice, vice president and general manager of the Reading Railway; W. G. Brown, secretary of the coal and iron company; J. D. Lamm, vice president of the coal and iron company; H. J. Montross, general coal agent, and George C. Conklin, city and Southern sales agent. The party will return to the city this evening.

ESCAPES BY SCALING WALL

Grieved by Separation From Sister, Man Forsakes Phila. Hospital.

Grief because he was separated from a sister at 1523 Dittman street led Thomas Nice to scale the wall of the Philadelphia Hospital and journey to his sister's home. He will be sent back to the institution today.

Nice was arrested last night while attending a carnival of the Shepherds of Bethlehem, Tacony and Margaretta streets. The clothing he wore enabled Special Patrolman H. S. Hines of the Frankford police station, to recognize him as an inmate at the hospital.

Nice said he and another man whom he knew climbed over the wall of the hospital and went to Ninth and Market streets, Nice borrowed carfare from Bill and went to his sister's house.

THE WEATHER

Official Forecast

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19. For Eastern Pennsylvania and New Jersey: Fair tonight and Sunday; much change in temperature; moderate variable winds.

High barometric pressure continues to overspread the eastern half of the continent and the eastern Canadian provinces, the crest of the area being north of Lake Ontario this morning. Fair weather has prevailed over the entire region in all northern districts, while showers have been quite general in the southern states. The temperatures are generally seasonable in the central states and in the Lake region, while a moderate excess is reported from the Ohio valley, in the western half of the country the barometer is generally low and showers are continued in the far Northwest.

STATESMAN'S SON WOUNDED

Another German, Blinded, Begs Sight to See Paris Capture.

PARIS, Sept. 19. The Count von Hohenhausen and Berken, a lieutenant in the Saxon cavalry of the Imperial Guard and a son of the Foreign Minister of Saxony, is one of the German wounded at the hospital at Saint Mandrier. He was taken prisoner at Font-a-Mousson.

A German non-commissioned officer named von Farkauer, son of a German businessman, died in the hospital at Compiègne. Fragments of shells had blinded both eyes, one arm was crushed and he had a bullet wound in the thigh. He begged the surgeons to save his sight as that he could go on to Paris with his regiment.

'JOKER' SENDS FALSE ALARMS

Six Companies Summoned to Fake Fire Early This Morning.

Practical jokers, who have been turning in false alarms at various fire boxes in the Kensington section, will receive no mercy if caught by the police. The jokers, who have been turning in false alarms at various fire boxes in the Kensington section, will receive no mercy if caught by the police. The jokers, who have been turning in false alarms at various fire boxes in the Kensington section, will receive no mercy if caught by the police.

FIVE FEET FIVE, BUT MIGHTY WITH HIS FISTS

Giant Sharkey Has No Terms for McGee, Who Is Subdued by Two Policemen.

Although he bears the name of the great Sharkey, one time prince of prize fighters, Frank Sharkey, 30 years old, who is more than six feet in height, today is nursing a pair of black eyes as a result of a bout with James McGee, of 1932 Harlan street, last night. McGee is only five feet five inches in height, but he did not deter him from tackling Sharkey and defying two heavy policemen who were sent from the Nineteenth and Oxford streets station to stop the encounter.

When the two policemen, Halston and Fleming, arrived at the Harlan street address, the scene of the bout, McGee defied them to put him under arrest, saying that he could defeat any "foxy" in a fair and square fight. Whereupon he proceeded to prove his contention on Halston. Wrestling the latter's club from him, McGee waved it defiantly over his head and dared the policemen to come on. The latter accepted the challenge and in a moment had the five-footer under arrest. Sharkey in the meanwhile was sent to the Jefferson Hospital, where his eyes were treated. This morning, Magistrate Morris remarked that Sharkey had already received sufficient punishment and sent McGee to the county prison for five days.

P. R. R. CONDUCTOR IS HELD FOR SELLING OLD TICKETS

Old Employee and Local Bartender Charged With Crime.

Two men were held in jail for court today by Magistrate Morris, 291 Ridge avenue, on the charge of selling tickets between Philadelphia and New York that had been collected by one of them, a conductor of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. The men are Robert Kitchener, of Trenton, the conductor, and A. F. Sams, a bartender at Broad and Race streets, who lives at 403 Green street.

Kitchener was held in jail, and Sams was in 800. The conductor had been in the employ of the railroad for about 20 years. He was held for a further hearing last Wednesday following an investigation by railroad detectives. Sams is said to have disposed of the tickets secured by Kitchener.

TOOK BIG BILL FOR JUNK

Church Janitor Must Explain Its Sale to a Dealer.

Because he thought that a telephone church bell, belonging to the church of the Redemption, at 54th and Market streets, was a nice present intended for him, Henry Brown, the colored janitor of the church, is held under \$500 bail to await further hearing by Magistrate Boyle, of the 26th street and Lancaster avenue police station.

Boyle was recently given permission to sell and keep the proceeds of all the junk which had accumulated in the building. He disposed of all the minor articles, and then, thinking that the bell was probably junk too, sold it to Mike Goldstein, a junk dealer, 34th and Race streets, for \$1. The bell was missed on Tuesday last, and upon being questioned the janitor freely admitted that he was responsible for its disappearance.

NEGRO'S INJURY FATAL

As the result of a fractured skull, received in a fight last Sunday, William H. Johnson, 524 Hayton street, 35 years old, a Negro, died late last night in the Germantown Hospital. He with a number of Negroes got into a fight last Sunday night, Johnson sustaining a fractured skull.

Several of the others were hurt. They were arrested, but were released awaiting the result of Johnson's injury. Last night they were rearrested, and will be given a hearing before Magistrate Renwick in the Central Police Station today.

\$100 FUNERAL FOR PRINCE ALBERT; HE WAS A GOOD DOG

Pet of the Little Adams Sisters Will Be Buried in State - Many Floral Tributes.



PRINCE ALBERT EDWARD

His funeral will be in the style befitting his title.

Prince Albert Edward will be buried tonight in this city. His last resting place was not chosen in Philadelphia because of the present European complications, for the Prince was the pet Newfoundland dog of Miss Arabella Jay Adams, 2411 Wayne avenue, Germantown.

This afternoon he is lying in a dignified and expensive coffin in the parlor of the Adams home. A silver plate bears the single word "Prince." Flanked around the basket are the choicest flowers obtainable. White and red roses and carnations, intermingled with ferns, palms and other plants combine to make the funeral setting complete.

The dog's funeral will cost more than \$100, and will be in charge of Undertaker William J. McGoldrick, 529 Germantown avenue.

Miss Adams and her sister, Miss Martha Adams, will remain by the side of Prince's body until he is lowered into his last resting place under the red rose bush in the yard.

This spot was selected because it was the dog's favorite resting place. It was here that he sought shelter when it was too warm to crawl into his own little apartment in the yard.

No millionaire's child could have received better treatment than Prince. Ever since he was taken ill two weeks ago, he has had the constant attendance of a nurse and a veterinarian.

Dr. William H. Nice did all in his power to save the pet, but as he was over 12 years old it is believed that his age hastened the end. Death was pronounced due to catarrh of the stomach.

All the children in the neighborhood knew Prince. Many of them called at the Adams home today with little floral offerings and conveyed the dog's mistress. The little white dog on which the dog lay during the last two weeks will be preserved, so also will the little toys and other mementoes, which will keep the animal's memory green.

LOCAL FIRE RECORD

Table with columns: Time, Location, Cause, and Loss. Lists various fire incidents in Philadelphia and surrounding areas.